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Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal Address to: Commissioner for Patents Box RCE P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Fax no.: (703) 872-9306	Application No. :	10/047,681
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	Group Art Unit :	2827
	Examiner :	MITCHELL, JAMES M.
	Attorney Docket No. :	JCLA7793-R

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114.

a. ☐ Previously submitted

- () Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _____
 () Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

b. ☒ Enclosed

- (X) Preliminary Amendment.
 () Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

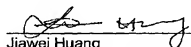
- a. () Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
 b. (X) Information Disclosure Statement.

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	NUMBER FILED		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
Basic Fee					\$ 770	\$ 770	
Total Claims	16	MINUS	20	= 0 x	\$ 18	= \$ 0	
Independent Claims	4	MINUS	4	= 0 x	\$ 86	= \$ 0	
[] month(s) extension of time is hereby requested.					Time Extension Fee	= \$ 770	
						Total:	\$ 770

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- b. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the filing fee in the amount of \$ 770 as calculated above, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0710 (Order No. JCLA7793-R).
- i. ☒ (X) RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ () Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17).

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